



## National Infant Immunization Week

April 21<sup>st</sup> - April 28<sup>th</sup> 2012

### New Britain

Mon, 4/23

#### **New Britain Rock Cats "Immunization Records Night"**

The New Britain Immunization Program and the New Britain Rock Cats Baseball Team have partnered to promote well child health. Parents who bring their child's immunization record to the stadium can have their child's record reviewed and receive a free child's ticket to the game (with each adult ticket purchased). A local pediatrician will throw out the first pitch in honor of the event. An immunization information table will be set up with educational materials for parents and caregivers, and public service announcements will be made throughout the evening.

New Britain Stadium, 230 Karbonic Way, New Britain, CT 06051

Gates open at 5:30 p.m./Game starts at 6:35 p.m.

Contact: Ramona Anderson (860) 612-2777

### Bridgeport

#### **Mother's Day Social**

*Open to Bridgeport WIC Clients.* Bridgeport Immunization Action Plan Program together with Bridgeport WIC programs will host 2 fun, educational sessions providing information about adult and child vaccines, as well as oral health. Mother's Day give-aways and preschool activities will be provided. Registration required.

Fri. 4/27

WIC office/Optimus Health Care

1450 Barnum Avenue, Bridgeport

10:00-11:30 a.m. (English and Spanish translation)

Fri. 4/27

WIC Office/Southwest Community Health Center

1020 Fairfield Avenue, Bridgeport

1:00-2:30 p.m. (English and Spanish translation)

Contact: Joan Lane or Millie Seguinot (203) 372-5503

### Norwalk

Sat. 4/28

#### **Wellfest 2012**

The Norwalk Immunization Program will be on hand at this health and wellness fair to provide information and answer questions about information to families. The event is hosted by the Norwalk School Readiness Providers Group with support from the United Way of Coastal Fairfield County.

St. Thomas Church Gymnasium

208 East Ave., Norwalk, CT 06855

9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Contact: Pam Bates (203) 854-7728

### Hartford

Wed. 4/25

#### **Celebrate NIIW**

The Hartford Immunization Program and other maternal and child health programs will be on hand to provide information and giveaways to parents, answer questions and do some fun immunization activities.

City of Hartford Health and Human Services

131 Coventry Street, Hartford, CT 06103

9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Contact: Tish Ricks (860) 757-4807

### New Haven

Wed. 4/25

#### **Celebrate NIIW**

The New Haven Immunization Program will be on hand to provide immunization information and giveaways to parents and answer questions. Refreshments will be served.

Wilson Library

303 Washington Avenue, New Haven, CT 06519

11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Contact: Jennifer Hall (203) 946-7097

### Stamford

Tues. 4/24

#### **Celebrate NIIW**

Come celebrate our children's health thanks to vaccines. The Stamford Immunization Program will be on hand to disseminate information about immunization and will also play a video about CIRT.

Stamford Government Center lobby

888 Washington Blvd.

Stamford, CT 06904

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Contact: Cinthia Vera (203) 977-5098

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[www.ct.gov/dph/immunizations](http://www.ct.gov/dph/immunizations)



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Danbury  
Sat. 4/28

### **Danbury's Family University**

Danbury celebrates children from birth to college age with a full day of workshops, activities, food tasting and raffles at Danbury High School. The Greater Danbury Immunization Program will be on hand with up to date vaccine information for parents and handouts for kids. Bilingual resources and babysitting will be available. \$15 per family with scholarship funding if needed.

Danbury High School  
43 Clapboard Ridge Road, Danbury, CT 06811  
8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Contact: Danbury School Family Literacy Center (203) 830-6508

Naugatuck Valley  
Mon. 4/23

### **Family Place**

The Valley's Immunization Coordinator will present information about the importance of immunization and have a table set up with immunization information and give-aways.

Derby Public Library  
313 Elizabeth St, Derby 06418  
10:00-11:00a.m.

Contact: Elizabeth Green: (203) 881-3255

Wed. 4/25

### **Story Hour**

The Naugatuck Valley Immunization Program will read a book about the importance of immunization and provide immunization information and give-aways for parents and children.

Seymour Public Library  
46 Church St.  
Seymour, CT 06483  
10:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Elizabeth Green: (203) 881-3255

Torrington Area  
Wed. 4/18

### **Early Headstart Playgroup**

Immunization Coordinator will read the book, "The Flu and You" to children then speak to parents about the importance of immunization and the state's immunization registry, CIRTIS. Materials will be distributed

Torrington Area Health District  
350 Main St.  
Torrington, CT  
10:00 a.m.

Contact: Sue Sawula: (860) 486-0436 X38

Waterbury  
Wed. 4/25

### **Celebrating a Never-ending Commitment to Protecting Children's Health**

The Waterbury Department of Public Health, in conjunction with the Women, Infant and Children program (WIC) will host a celebration in honor of the milestones reached in controlling vaccine-preventable diseases among infants and children. It will feature lots of hands on activities for children as well as entertainment provided by "Amazing Andy". Healthy refreshments, wonderful raffle prizes and plenty of free "take-home" items and information will be offered.

Waterbury Dept. of Public Health  
One Jefferson Square, Garden Level  
Waterbury, CT 06706  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Contact: Randy York (203) 346-3907

West Haven  
Tues. 4/24

### **Celebrate NIIW**

During the Infant Toddler Group at West Haven's Family Resource Center, the West Haven Immunization Coordinator will provide an educational presentation on the importance of childhood immunizations and discuss the truths and myths regarding vaccinations to parents living in West Haven, Connecticut. Participants who attend the group will receive take home bags with educational information and fun freebies!

Family Resource Center, City Hall  
355 Main St., West Haven, CT 06516  
9- 11:30 a.m.

Contact: Christine DePierro-Gacek (203) 937-3564

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